

Student Affairs Updates

Aug 7, 2020



## Recap of All Staff Meeting

In case you were not able to attend the Student Affairs All Staff meeting with VP McDonald this week, with an overview of the approach to facecoverings with Jason Ramirez, Brian Burton and Leila Ames from the <u>Office of the</u>

<u>Dean of Students</u> and Scott McAward, Director of <u>Center for Disability and Access</u>, you may view the recording below.

August All Staff Recording

### Save the Date

Our next Student Affairs All staff meeting is scheduled on **September 3rd at 11 a.m.** Please sign up below and we'll provide you with the zoom link.

September All Staff Meeting Registration



# Student Affairs Commitment to Racial Justice: Day of Action

#### Wednesday, August 12 | 12:00 PM ET | Open to all

On August 12, 2020, the student affairs community, as represented by your professional associations will come together as a unit to talk about how our profession can make tangible progress in addressing racial justice on American college campuses. This will be an historic gathering of student affairs professionals across the widest spectrum of roles and functions. Student affairs must play a leading role in combating racism and ending racial violence.

Learn more on the NASPA website <u>here</u>.

# SADC Racial Justice and Decolonization Weekly Open Dialogue Series

Every Thursday, Student Affairs Diversity Committee facilitates a virtual

dialogue series around social justice,



decolonization, racial justice, and praxis. If you are not able to make it, please still sign up to gain access to the readings. You can join the conversation without having attended a previous session. Each week focuses on different reading materials to provide leading research and scholarship; tools for personal, professional, and career development; and innovative praxis opportunities for Student Affairs that will actively inform and reshape higher education. A separate invitation to join Canvas for a list of the reading materials and a link to join the series will be sent with your registration.

#### Next Session: August 13 at 1 pm

Racial Justice & Decolonization Dialoge Registration



## Training Tuesdays: Prep for Fall

The <u>Professional Development</u> <u>Committee (PDC)</u> is excited to offer a series of trainings, as we get ready for the start of fall semester. We hope you will join us!

August 11th (a) 2 pm. - Advanced Zoom to Engage Students with Jenna Templeton and Lindsay Wetzel Polin,

Center for Student Wellness.

**August 18th @ 2 pm**. - *Qualtrics for Forms* with Elizabeth Duszak and Sarah Canning, Assessment, Evaluation & Research

Training Tuesdays Registration



## On-demand Training courtesy of PDC

Are you eager to learn more and enhance your professional development? You're in luck! Every other week, the <u>Professional Development</u>

<u>Committee (PDC)</u> publishes new upcoming and on-demand virtual training opportunities to their website, with everything from webinars hosted by relevant professional associations to PDC Training Tuesdays presentations sponsored by our own talented Student Affairs team members. You can filter the dynamic list of trainings by training type (upcoming or on-demand), any of the NASPA/ACPA Competencies, or a keyword of your choice. Learn more by vising the PDC website: <u>https://studentaffairs.utah.edu/pdc/trainings/index.php</u>

### **#SAFESIX**

The <u>Center for Student Wellness</u> is launching their #safesix campaign. They have outlined six health guidelines for students, faculty, and staff to follow as we return to campus this fall. This includes practicing physical distancing, wearing a face covering while in public, and reminding those to stay home if they are feeling ill. More updates regarding this campaign can be found on their website at wellness.utah.edu and on their social media platforms (auofuwellness.

Protect our campus community and practice STUDENT WELLNESS THE UNIVERSITY OF UTAH SAFESIX Practice physical distancing measures and 01 communicating your boundaries. Maintain at least 6 feet away from others. 02 Wear a face covering while in public. Practice good hygiene habits. Wash your hands 03 with soap and warm water for at least 20 seconds. If not available, use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer. Avoid touching your face. This includes your eyes, 04 nose and mouth. Cover your coughs and sneezes Clean and disinfect surfaces regularly 05 such as laptop keyboards, tables, and desks. **06** If you're feeling sick, stay home. ◄ – 6ft -



# #facecoveringFriday

Students at the University of Utah spearheaded by ASUU and partnering with medical campus have put together their own social media campaign to encourage the use of face coverings on campus. Their kickoff event, <u>#facecoveringFriday</u>, appeared on the University of Utah's <u>Instagram</u> and <u>Twitter</u> accounts last Friday. The event had various departments, student groups, faculty/staff, and

individual student participants. The ask was simple: upload a picture in your favorite face covering and hashtag <u>#facecoveringFriday</u> and <u>#maskuputah</u>. The event itself had an overwhelming positive response from many participants to encourage face covering wearing for communal wellbeing and public health awareness. In the midst of COVID-19, with everyone navigating this global pandemic, it was encouraging to see the University come together to show the importance of keeping each other safe. Look out for the next social media challenges in the coming weeks leading up to the start of school to show your support for our campus community. We are the University of Utah, OneU, and one community looking to keep everyone healthy and well.

# Weekly COVID-19 Updates from University of Utah Health

On August 5th , Dr. Bob Pendleton provided the weekly COVID-19 update for both the State of Utah and National trends.



#### Resources

Return to Campus COVID-19 Central @theU Student Affairs Online Student Affairs Remote Work Toolkit



The U's COVID-19 Hotline: (801) 213-2874 RedMed: (801) 213-3303 Work Wellness Center: (801) 581-2227 HR Benefits Team: (801) 581-7447

## Something on Your Mind?

Tell us

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What topics would you like to see in SA Updates? Share your ideas!

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